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Application No. Applicant(s) 09/098,204 UDELL ET AL. Interview Summary Examiner Art Unit 2152 Thong H Vu All participants (applicant, applicant's representative, PTO personnel): (1) Thong H Vu. (3) Morey Wildes #36,968. (2) Mark Rinhart. (4)_____. Date of Interview: 20 June 2002. Type: a) ✓ Telephonic b) ✓ Video Conference c) Personal [copy given to: 1) applicant 2) applicant's representative] Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) Yes e)⊠ No. If Yes, brief description: . Claim(s) discussed: <u>1-10,13-15 and 17-47</u>. Identification of prior art discussed: Thorne-Beck; Ji-MacPhail-Shear; Hasen-Beck; Drake-Norin . Agreement with respect to the claims f) was reached. g) was not reached. h) № N/A. Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: See Continuation Sheet . (A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable, if available, must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments that would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)

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Continuation of Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments:

Applicant discussed status of rejections to clarify standing of claims in light of the Advisory Action mailed 4/19/02 (#paper 20). The Examiner withdraws the rejection of claims 1-10,13-15,17-47 based upon Thorne-Beck (paragraph 2-7of Office Action mailed 10/31/01(#paper 16).)). The Examiner withdraws the rejection of claims 1-10,13-15, based upon Ji-MacPhail (paragraph 7-11 of Office Action mailed 10/31/01).). The Examiner withdraws the rejection of claims 17-47 based upon Ji-MacPhail-Shear (paragraph 12-14 of Office Action mailed 10/31/01).

The rejections of claims 1-10,13-15,17-47 based upon Hansen-Beck and Drake-Norin (paragraph 15-23 of Office Action mailed 10/31/01) are maintained .

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